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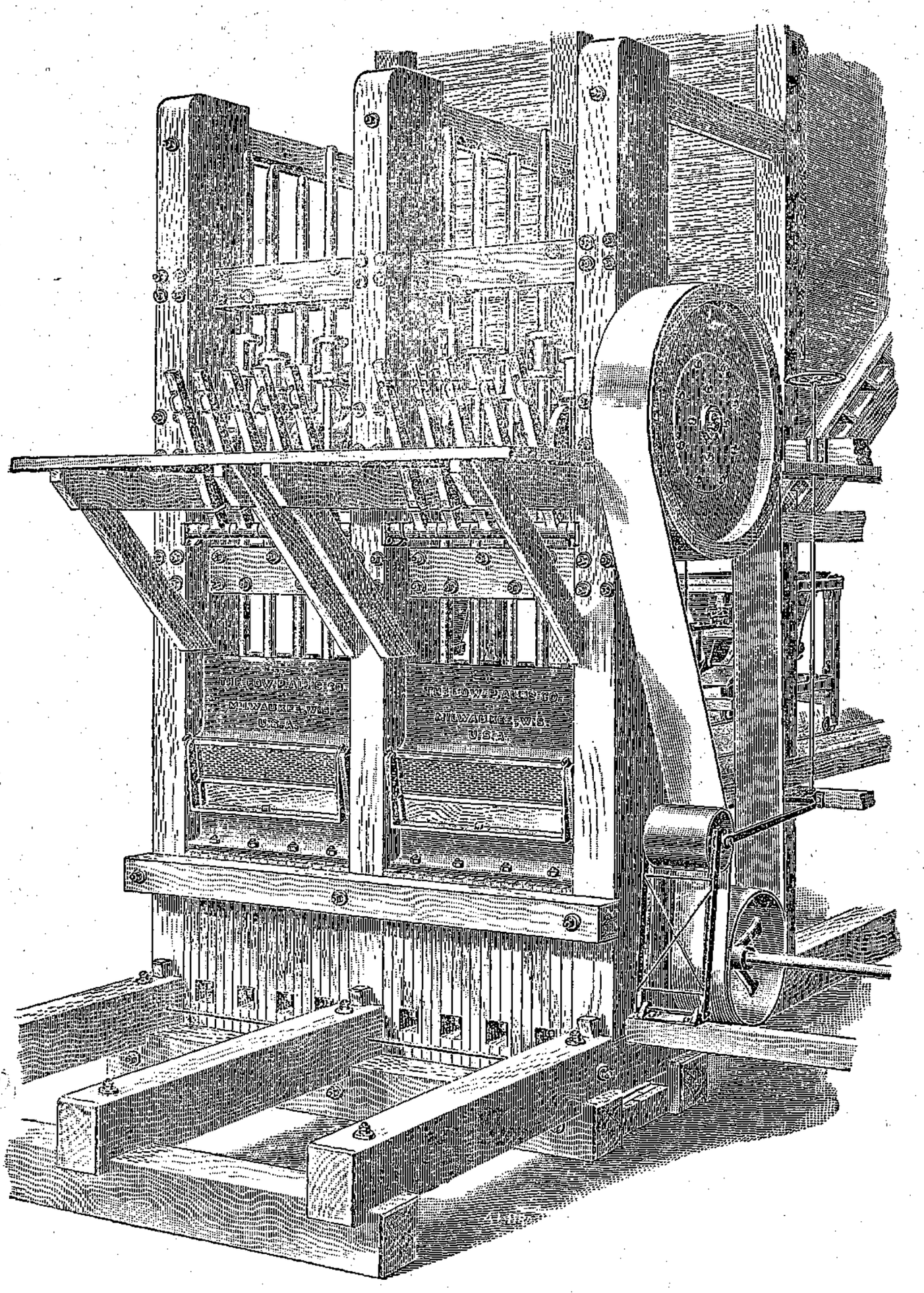

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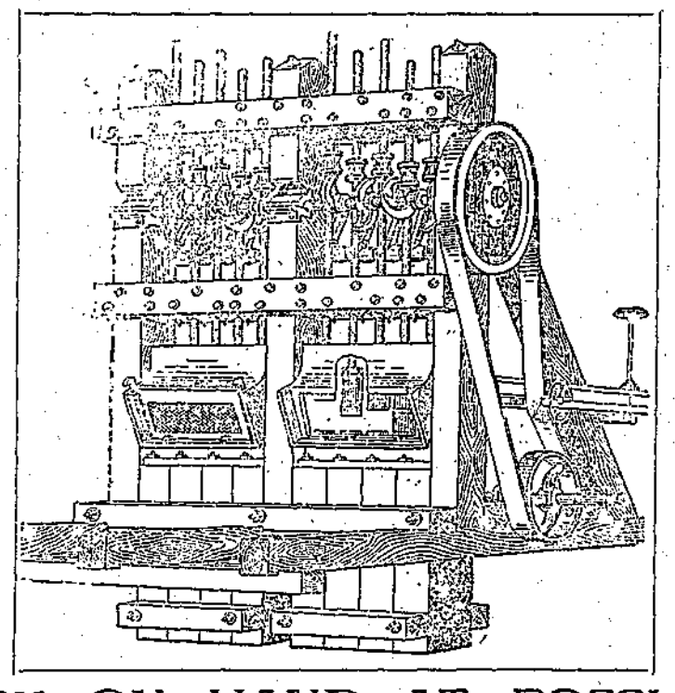

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THE SNOWSHOE MINE.

One of the Big Greenwood Camp Properties Under Bond to an English Syndicate.

A Steam Plant to be Purchased Immediately for the Further Development of Property.

The probability of securing transportation facilities in the near future is an incentive to mine owners to more vigorously prosecute the work of developing their properties. In all parts of the district a renewed activity is noticeable. Steam plants are being installed and additional men employed. A railway is not the only encouragement. As development work proceeds, the ore bodies become more regular and pronounced, values increase and all indications justify the expenditure of larger sums of money in the purchase of machinery and other requirements necessary in the development of large properties. Among the mines which have turned out encouragingly must be classed the Snowshoe.

The Snowshoe is situated in Greenwood camp about six miles from the city of Greenwood. It is one of the half-a-dozen big properties that have made Greenwood the banner camp of Boundary Creek district. The Snowshoe is a full claim, 1500 by 1500 feet. It is crown granted. It was formerly owned by Messrs. Thos. McDonnell, R. Denzler and W. W. Gibbs. Mayor Wood of Greenwood about a year ago acquired Mr. Gibbs' interest in the property. The Snowshoe proved attractive to mining men since it was first located. It was examined by experts and many efforts were made to purchase or bond the property. At last Patrick Clark the well known mining man secured a bond and he did considerable development work. Mr. Clark became heavily interested in the Republic mine and for financial reasons he was reluctantly compelled to give up the bond on the Snowshoe. No sooner was this done than the Kootenay Development Company rebonded the property for $65-000. The Kootenay Development Company is an aggregation of English capitalists. Mr. G. D. MacKay is the resident manager and agent and Mr. Reinz W. Macfarlane consulting engineer for the company. The Kootenay Development Company has already paid $6,500 on account of the bond.

When the Kootenay Development Company began work in January of this year, a 70-foot shaft had been sunk on the Snowshoe; also a 17-foot shaft and considerable drifting and crosscutting.

The Kootenay Development Company sank an incline shaft 170 feet. At the 70-foot level a cross cut was made for a distance of 38 feet in ore, and at 120 feet 175 feet of drifts and crosscuts were run, Two ore veins were encountered about 100 feet apart. One vein is 40 feet wide while No. 2 vein has been cross cut from the foot wall but the hanging wall has not yet been reached. The ore is copper pyrites in a mixed gangue of calcite with some specularite and iron pyrites. From the old 17-foot shaft values $10 to $50 in gold and 3 to 16 per cent. copper have been secured. The ore is self fluxing. Mr. Geo. A. Guess, M. A., who has been in charge of the development work on the property during Mr. Macfarlane's absence has made several analyses of the ore. An average sample gives the following returns:

Copper	14.6 per cent.
Sulphur	4.5 per cent.
Silica	23.2 per cent.
Lime	17.4 per cent.
Copper	4. per cent.
Gold	$10 to $15.

The ore can be smelted and matted in assay furnace without any additional fluxes. Mr. Guess secured a good button of matte from ore treated in his assay furnace.

The value and importance of this quality of ore cannot be over estimated. The profits arising from mines giving higher values are often lessened because the ores are too silicious and contain little or no lime, making it necessary to mix with other ores or barren fluxes to secure a proper proportion of flux, thus adding to the cost of treatment. Snowshoe ore can be smelted for a mimimum price, thus giving to the operators of the mines the highest per centage of profit.

Since the work began in January last 16 men were employed on the property. On Monday last the work was discontinued not because the Kootenay Development Company was not satisfied with the property but because it was found necessary to secure a steam plant to properly carry on the development work. The old horse whim which did service when the shaft was a few feet deep is a slow process at a depth of 170 feet. The company intend purchasing a steam plant immediately. The plant will include a powerful boiler and engine and a hoist and pump. It will be taken to the property as soon as possible when work will be resumed with increased vigor. A raise is to be made from drift on the No. 2. ore body at the 120-foot level. This upraise when it reaches the surface will be turned into a double compartment working shaft 6x8 feet in the clear. This shaft will be sunk to the 300-foot level and cross cutting and drifting carried out at different levels.

The buildings at the Snowshoe include a boarding house and bunk house, a foreman's residence and a shaft house. These will be added to when the machinery is procured. The branch railway from the Summit to the Greenwood and Wellington camp mines will pass through the Snowshoe. Mr. Rice the C. P. R. engineer has already run the lines from the Summit, securing an easy grade for this portion of the railway. This branch line will give the required transportation facilities.

The outlook for the Snowshoe is most encouraging. The mine itself has proved anything but disappointing to those who believe it was only necessary to develop the property to uncover large ore bodies of good value. The Snowshoe is in charge of a company with sufficient capital to thoroughly develop the same and place it on a shipping basis and the ore if not treated on the ground will be eagerly sought after by custom smelters.

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A rather serious bush fire occurred on the Brooklyn this week. The fire threatened to wipe out all the buildings in the vicinity of the mine. The men from the Stemwinder and Brooklyn and the Ironsides were called out and after a hard battle succeeded in checking the progress of the fire. Another fire started above the residence of Mr. C. Æ. Shaw and worked towards Mr. Holbrook's residence. It exhausted itself before much damage was done. Unless greater care is taken regarding bush fires during the exceedingly dry weather serious losses are likely to be the result.

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Mr. J. C. Haas has several men at work on the Golconda group in Smith's camp.

BANK OF MONTREAL.

The Bank of Montreal will open a branch in Greenwood in a few weeks. After carefully sizing up the different towns of the district, its officers decided that Greenwood is the financial, commercial and mining centre, and the branch for southern Yale will be located here.

It was a formidable array of bank officials who visited Greenwood this week. Mr. Campbell Sweeney, the general manager for the province, Mr. J. S. C. Fraser, the manager of the Rossland branch, and Mr. G. A. Henderson, manager of the Vernon branch, met in Greenwood and discussed the situation from a Bank of Montreal standpoint. Messrs. Sweeney and Fraser came in by way of Grand Forks. They were accompanied by Messrs. Hector McRae and Ross Thompson. Bank managers are usually corpulent gentlemen, living witnesses of the efficacy of good fare. One of the buggies could not stand too much bank avoirdupois and collapsed at the Winnipeg mine. The mishap could not have happened at a better place, for the bank officials were hospitably entertained for the night by Mr. and Mrs. Honey and Mr. McIntosh at the mine. The buggy was repaired and the travellers reached Greenwood on Sunday without further mishap. Mr. Henderson came in on Sunday's Penticton stage from Vernon.

Mr. Sweeney is not communicative as far as bank business is concerned. He freely expressed his satisfaction, however, at the substantial and prosperous appearance of Greenwood. As an earnest of his faith in the future of the city he personally invested in three lots, purchased on Monday from the townsite company. The lots are 5, 6 and 7, block 23, and face Government street about three blocks above the court-house. Mr. Sweeney stated that Greenwood was in his opinion the mining centre of the district and the Bank of Montreal wanted the mining business. After carefully enquiring into the amount of business transacted here, the officers telegraphed Mr. F. S. Barnard to change the plans for his Copper street block about to be erected, so that the ground floor could be used for bank purposes. This will probably be done. The building is centrally located, being only a short distance from the corner of Greenwood and Copper streets, at present the leading business corner of the city.

In all probability the decision in favor of Greenwood was in a measure due to the fact that a large amount of Greenwood business is transacted through the Bank of Montreal at Vernon. This business has been of the most satisfactory nature to the bank, as Greenwood business men have established a reputation for meeting their payments promptly and doing business in a business way. Messrs. Fraser and Ross Thompson left Greenwood for Republic on Monday morning, while Messrs. Sweeney and Henderson left on Monday afternoon for Vernon. Mr. Sweeney has been making a tour through the mining districts and will return to Vancouver from Vernon.

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CONTRACT VS. DAY LABOR.

The city cannot afford to allow contracts to experiment on the streets; neither can the city afford to allow aldermen to experiment with city funds. Heretofore the city council were practically playing at municipal government and municipal administration; there was very little for them to do and they did that little well; now the members of the council are about to take charge of the expenditure of a large sum of money when the size of the town is considered. The expenditure of that sum should not depend upon the prices quoted in the tenders from contractors. The expenditure should be governed by business principles and the business judgment of the council. There are two ways of carrying out civic improvements—a right way and a wrong way. The wrong way is to give a contractor a license to do scamp work, to act as immigration agent for cheap dago labor; to milk the city in the shape of extras; to keep the city in a legal quagmire for years to come and to delay the completion of much needed works until his impudent demands are satisfied by the city. The right way is to engage a competent man who assumes all the responsibility for the work, pays fair wages, gives the hard working ratepayers a chance, sees that the work is done thoroughly, employs men who make their homes in the city and spend the money earned in the city, who secures for the city an honest day's work for an honest day's pay.

A few years ago the city of Victoria decided to improve its water spstem by the construction of filter beds and other needed improvements. Tenders were called for. John Haggerty tendered for $68,000 and Wakely King & Casey for $73,000. The council awarded the contract to Wakely, King & Casey, because they were considered safe, reliable, honest men. The specifications were prepared by one of the best engineers in the province; the contract was drawn up by one of the brightest lawyers in the province; the contractors put up the usual deposit; they were only paid a certain percentage of the contract price on all work done. Every one congratulated every one else on the fact that for once they had contractors who would do right and were tied down to do right.

Walkely, King & Casey went to work. They scoured the Sound cities for cheap labor. They employed men drivers for foremen; they forced every one to board at their boarding house where cheap fare was provided; strikes were frequent, lawsuits followed. It is now nearly three years since the contract was to have been completed; it is not completed yet and the filter beds have cost Victoria over $100,000 in work and lawsuits and all the other incidentals of the contract system. Walkely, King & Casey were responsible bona fide contractors; they followed the usual practice adopted by contractors on city work.

The city of Victoria spent several thousand dollars in the construction of surface drains. The work was done by day labor. A good foreman was employed, fair wages were paid. The work was completed within the time specified and at a less cost than the engineer's estimate. There were no strikes nor lawsuits.

The Greenwood city council must have sufficient courage to do the city work in the right way or fall back on the more convenient method of shifting the responsibility upon contractors who will probably do justice neither to the city nor to the employes.

Messrs. Gill and Miller of the Inland Revenue department paid Greenwood an official visit this week. Mr. Gill is inspector for the province and Mr. Miller is inspector at Vancouver. Mr. Finlay inspector of weights and measures accompanied them.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

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TAKE notice that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for Jay P. Graves, freeminer's certificate No. 95494, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action under Section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 4th day of June, 1898. 92

CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION

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"COMPANIES' ACT, 1897."

"City of Paris Gold Mining Company, Limited."

Registered the 11th Day of July, 1898.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day registered the "City of Paris Gold Mining Company, Limited," as an Extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate in the City of Spokane, State of Washington.

The amount of the capital of the Company is one million two hundred thousand dollars, divided into one million two hundred thousand shares of one dollar each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situated at City of Paris Mine, White's Camp, B. C., and Henry White, miner (not empowered to issue or transfer stock), whose address is at City of Paris Mine aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The time of the existence of the Company is fifty years.

The objects for which the company has been established are:—

To work, operate, buy, sell, lease, locate, acquire, procure, hold, deal in mines, metals and mineral claims of every kind and description, within the United States of America and the Province of British Columbia; to carry on and conduct a general mining, smelting, milling and reduction business; to purchase, acquire, hold, erect and operate electric and power plants for the purpose of mining and treating ores, and for the purpose of furnishing light and creating power for all purposes; to bond, buy, lease, locate and hold ditches, flumes and water-rights; to construct, lease, buy, sell, build or operate railroads, ferries, tramways or other means of transportation for transporting ores, mining and other material; to own, buy, build, sell, lease, locate timber and timber claims, and finally to do everything consistent and requisite for the carrying out of the objects and purposes aforesaid, in their fullest and broadest sense in the territory aforesaid.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned intends to apply to the License Commissioners of the City of Greenwood, at their next sitting, for a license to sell liquor by retail on the premises known as the Greenwood Hotel, on lots 20 and 21, block B, in the City of Greenwood, B.C. D. M. BONGARD.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1898. 101-4

SEMLIN VS. PREMIER.

Chas. A. Semlin is now premier of the province. Mr. Beaven late last week notified the Lieutenant-governor that he was unable to form a cabinet. The Lieutenant-governor at once summoned Mr. Semlin and entrusted him with the work of forming a cabinet. Mr. Semlin offered the Attorney-generalship to Joe Martin. Mr. Martin at first refused but afterwards consented. Mr. F. C. Cotton accepted the position of Minister of Finance. Mr. Semlin takes the position of Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. The three ministers were sworn in on Monday afternoon and immediately took charge of their department.

The other ministers have not been appointed. It is reported that Robert Green, of Kaslo, is to be Minister of Mines and an Island man Provincial Secretary.

THE B. C. MINE.

The B. C. mine was closed down this week. Work will be resumed in a few months. The management decided to close down as they now have over 2000 tons of high grade ore on the dump and a large quantity of ore in sight in the mine. Before work will be resumed a more powerful plant will be purchased and then the work will be continued until shipping facilities are secured.

The B. C. is the best developed mine in the district. When Messrs. Harrison and Barchard began developing the property in January, the only work done was a 50-foot shaft and some drifts and crosscuts. Now there is a 170 foot shaft and considerable crosscutting.

Mr. Harrison some time ago secured an extension of time on account of the final payment of $27,000. It is reported that he does not intend to avail himself of the extension but will pay the $27,000 to Messrs. Keough & Sons today.

The property was bonded for $60,000. It is stated that recently several flattering offers have been made for the B. C. as high as half a million being reported.

The friends of prohibition are organizing for the campaign in connection with the approaching plebiscite. The prohibitionists claim they will carry every province in the Dominion excepting Quebec and British Columbia.

The annual meeting of the Press Association of Washington and Oregon will be held in Spokane on August 25th 26th and 27th. All the newspaper men of Idaho, Montana and British Columbia have been invited to attend.

The works of the Jenckes Machine Co. of Sherbrooke, Que., have been destroyed by fire. The loss is about $300,000, nearly carried by insurance. The company did a large business in B. C. They will likely rebuild.

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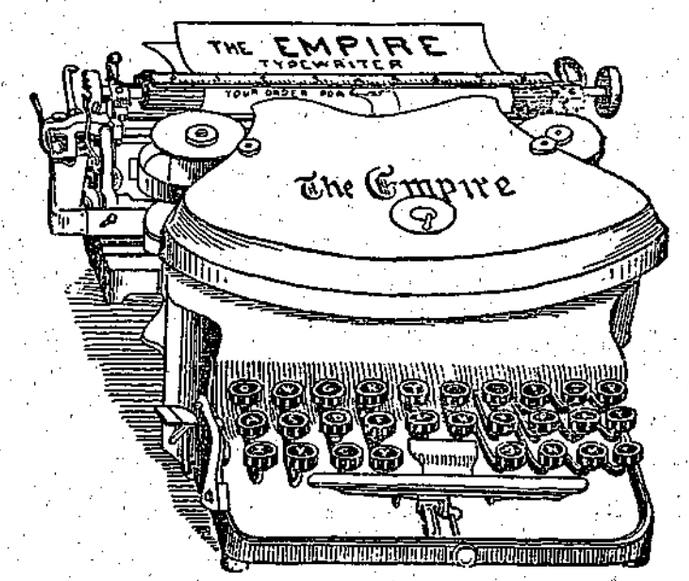

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

A new bakery has been started next to H. B. Munroe's.

Chas. Gire came over from Grand Forks on Thursday last.

The water was pumped out of the Golden Crown mine this week.

Sidney M. Johnson, C. E., is surveying the Greenwood Millsite into town lots.

The telephone office in Greenwood is to be in Smith & McRae's bookstore, Copper street.

Miller Bros.' pharmacy is now open. They have secured a large stock of druggist's supplies.

Louis Blue of the Boundary Creek Milling & Lumber Co., is paying the city a business visit.

F. R. and W. H. Mackin of Rossland and D. W. McVicar of Nelson are examing properties in the district.

It is rumored that a large brewery will be erected on the Elkhorn mineral claim, just outside the city limits.

Mrs. Keffer left for the east on Friday having received a telegram stating that her father was seriously ill.

School opened on Monday, with Miss Escotte Wickham, B. A. in charge. The average attendance is over 40 pupils.

John Keough came up from Colville on Thursday last. He was accompanied by his family who will spend a short time in the district.

The International hotel has been sold by E. B. Simmons to Louis Bosshart. Mr. Moody has leased the International dining room from Mr. Bosseart.

J. W. Stout a timber contractor was in the city this week. Mr. Stout stated that he had the timber contract for the railway from Cascade City westward.

Mr. Hamilton, the C. P. R. Land Commissioner, is expected in Greenwood shortly. Upon his arrival the right of way through the city and terminal facilities will be definitely settled.

Judging from the press the feeling throughout the east is in favor of the Corbin charter. Newspapers which opposed the charter last session now state that it will be granted next session.

Mr. and Mrs. Fotheringhame arrived from Vancouver by Wednesday's stage. Mr. Fotheringhame has been engaged in mining enterprises in Africa, New Zealand and Klondyke. He intends leaving for East Kootenay in a few days.

Mr. J. C. Tunstall, Mining Recorder at Vernon, has been asked by Mr. Keary, Commissioner for the New Westminster Exhibiton to get up an exhibit of minerals from Sicamous to Boundary Creek. Mr. A. H. Lawder will furnish the necessary sacks and tags.

L. H. Hodge, the superintendent of the Nelson & Vernon Telephone Company was a visitor to Greenwood on Thursday. Mr. Hodge stated that good progress was being made with the line but as everything in connection therewith was to be of the best no hurried work was allowed. He expected to have the line in running order shortly after September 1st. Mr. Hodge claims that the schedule of fees have not been arranged yet. He believes it will be sufficientiy low to remove every cause for complaint.

E. A. Bielenberg left yesterday on a three week's trip to Victoria and other Coast cities.

The Centre Star mine at Rossland has been sold to the Gooderman-Blackstock syndicate for $2,000,000 cash. This is the highest cash deal of the Kootenay district.

The Oro Dinero property in Summit camp is turning out well. Several men are at work for Ross Thompson and associates who have the property bonded from W. A. Corbett. A large body of high grade ore was struck this week.

School children are compelled to sit three in a seat. The legislature voted $1,500 for a school building in Greenwood, the Townsite company donated the site but still no effort has been made to erect a suitable school building in Greenwood.

Mr. H. T. Wilgress has almost completed the work of securing the right of way for the C. P. R. from Cascade City to Midway. He met with but little difficulty. It is quite possible that there will be only one case for arbitration over the whole route.

W. A. Fuller of Spokane, one of the directors of the Brandon & Golden Crown Co., is in the city. Mr. Fuller has spent the most of the summer in Republic. He reports the town quiet but that the mines in that district are turning out remarkably well.

Engineer Rice went to White's camp on Thursday in order to locate the branch line from Greenwood camp. Mr. Rice has completed the location of nearly all the branch lines to the different camps. Mayor Wood and Ald. Galloway went to White's Camp with him.

Railway Accident at Union.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 17.—News was received here today of an accident on the Union Colliery railway line, resulting in the death of at least six persons. The wires to Union City are down and full details have not been received. As far as can be learned the regular work train, with a passenger coach attached plunged through the trestle which spans the Trent river about midway between Union City and Union wharf. It was about 125 feet high and 500 feet long.

The Victoria Colonist and Vancouver World are frantic at the change in political affairs. It is hard to lose government pap.

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G. A. GUESS,
Chief Ranger.

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AFTER AUGUST 1st, 1898, the Greenwood Hospital will be closed. Subscribers having yearly tickets will have their money refunded after that date.

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Corporation of the City of Greenwood.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the Corporation of the City of Greenwood until the 1st of September, 1898, for the Grading of Streets and the Removal of about 25,000 yards of earth.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the City Clerk's office on and after the 20th inst. Tenders for the whole or any portion of said grading must be accompanied by a deposit of 10 per cent. of the amount.

G. B. TAYLOR,
City Clerk.

August 17th, 1898.

TENDERS

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NOTICE.

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FRED. GRAAF.

August 1st, 1898. 101-4

MUNICIPAL TAXES.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after July 2nd the City Collector will be in the office of W. B. Paton, Government street, from 10 a. m. to noon, and from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. daily (except Sunday), for the purpose of receiving municipal taxes for the current year. 95

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, sixty days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district: Commencing at a stake planted in the Eholt Pass, about two thousand feet west of the summit and about half a mile south of Eholt creek, thence north one mile, thence east one mile, thence south one mile, thence west one mile to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres.

H. T. WILGRESS.

Greenwood, B. C. June 21, 1898. 94-8

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

VICTORIA Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Greenwood camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John F. Hemenway, as agent for John Stevens, free miner's certificate No. 259 A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1898. 98

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

J. Fyfe of Rossland is visiting Greenwood.

J. E. Boss has returned from Rossland.

J. W. Grier left for Rossland on Sunday last.

The shaft on the Stemwinder is now in rich Copper ore.

C. Pringle, a Rossland mining man is visiting the district.

A. W. McQueen of Grand Forks paid Greenwood a business visit this week.

O. B. Nelson of Nelson and Republic was among the visitors to Greenwood this week.

Hon. Geo. E. Foster one of the owners of the Golconda group is visiting Rossland.

W. G. McMynn has purchased all of W. W. Gibbs' British Columbia mining interests.

J. Morrison has struck a good body of rich looking ore on the Morrison in Deadwood camp.

Mr. G. H. Collins is making preparation for beginning work on the Golden Crown early next week.

Mr. J. W. Nelson has placed a billiard and a pool table in the new addition to the Pioneer hotel.

Messrs. H. R. Elliott and Hugh W. Wood purchased several Greenwood lots during the week. Mr. Elliott purchased 15 lots from the Townsite Company and two lots from P. C. McGregor of Victoria. Mr. Wood purchased three lots from the Townsite Company. All the property is in the valley.

Rev. Mr. King and Mrs. King of Spokane are visiting with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody of Greenwood.

The fire department has erected a shed for their apparatus on the alley between Government and Copper streets.

F. Archer of Calgary arrived by Sunday's Penticton stage. Mr. Archer is interested in West Copper camp mining properties.

C. W. H. Sansom is calling for tendering for placing a stone foundation underneath the Greenwood City Mercantile Co's. store.

Mr. H. A. King has opened a stationery store on Copper street next to Miller Bro's. drug store. Mr. King has a well assorted stock of goods.

W. B. Paton has purchased two Copper street lots from E. C. Wickwire. The price paid was $2,000. The lots are opposite T. M. Gulley's furniture store.

G. H. Ford is securing some high assays in gold and copper from his recent location in west Kimberly camp. The vein is nearly 5 feet wide and well defined.

Mr. Louis Hind has returned from England. He is at present visiting Fairview and will be here in a few days. A younger brother came out with him.

The funeral of the late Robert W. Roberts took place on Thursday morning. There was a large attendance of employes from the Old Ironsides and other mines in the vicinity. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Oswald.

Mr. E. D. MacKay came in on Sunday's Penticton stage from Vancouver. On Monday he visited the Snowshoe which is under bond to the syndicate which he represents. Mr. MacKay was well pleased with the appearance of the property.

THE TIMES is in receipt of a communication from Mr. J. F. Hemenway of the Old Ironsides Mining Company. The communication includes an "ad" from the TIMES headed "A Whim for Sale." Above the clipping is written "Kill this; the whim has been sold," and below, "Moral: Advertise in the BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES." The whim was purchased by Joe Young and it will be used on the Josie mine in Summit camp. A shaft is being sunk on this property.

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THE NEW GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant-governor McInnes' peculiar action has resulted in placing the opposition party in office. The government formed by Mr. Semlin will likely remain in power for several years. In all probability Mr. Semlin will meet the legislature and although there is a possibility of defeat there an appeal to the country will give him a large majority. There are also the election protests to be considered. All indications point to these going in favor of the party led by Mr. Semlin. The new government begins its career under the most encouraging circumstances. The province is beginning a new era in its history. If the Semlin administration does its duty, it can remain in power for many years. If it fails to appreciate the importance of the task which it has undertaken or does not properly meet the new conditions which are arising it will soon be relegated to the opposition. The people will no longer tolerate a slipshod or incompetent government. We feel confident that Mr. Semlin's administration will be successful because every section of the province will receive just treatment and the people will be considered more than designing individuals.

The Telephone Line.

Good progress is being made with the telephone line between Grand Forks and Greenwood. Nearly all the poles are up and the wire is strung past the Winnipeg. The line should be in working order in a week.

From all reports the rates levied by the company are almost prohibitive excepting for the most urgent business. The rate from Grand Forks is one dollar per minute for the use of the phone to Rossland. The rates on this side where there is no competition are comparatively much higher than on the other side of the line where the competition is keen.

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AN ANOMALY.

That portion of Rossland district which belonged to East Yale until it pleased the now defeated government and its supporters to gerrymander the province, is in a peculiarly anomalous position. It is a portion of the electoral district of Rossland, while it still has to look for crumbs from the appropriation made for the constituency of East Yale. It is only natural to expect that crumbs will be Boundary Creek's portion and that the crumbs will be very small indeed. The expenditure of money on roads, trails, streets and bridges is under the direction of Mr. Leonard Norris, government agent, etc., etc., with headquarters at Vernon. Now Mr. Leonard Norris is a good government agent and an impartial man, but government agents must yield to the stronger and more importunate political influences. Hence the main portion of the appropriation is spent in the more populous portions of the district, while Boundary Creek has to be satisfied with the crumbs.

The point we wish to make clear is this: That so long as Boundary Creek belongs to one electoral district and must look to another district for a share of appropriations, and to the officials of another district to carry out the expenditure of that share, so long will the result be anything but satisfactory to the residents of Boundary Creek district. The people of this district will never secure proper recognition in provincial politics until they are granted a representative. If that representation is not to be speedily secured, Boundary Creek district should be placed under control of the member whom its people helped to elect and placed upon such a footing that it can demand a fair share of the appropriations voted by the legislature.

We hope that one of the first acts of the new government will be the passage of a fair redistribution bill. The supporters of the Turner government from the mainland would vote for such a measure. Such a bill must necessarily recognize the right of Boundary Creek district to representation. The people, then, ought to be alive to their own interests. In order to make as strong a case as possible in favor of this district, it is necessary that every voter should be registered. THE TIMES has frequently pointed out that there are many people, residents of the district, who are properly qualified but who have neglected to register. They should do so at once.

THE CARIBOO MINE.

The Cariboo mine in Camp McKinney is to pass into the hands of a new company which has been organized under the laws of British Columbia and which will own five claims in addition to the two which constitute the property of the present company. The new organization will also be capitalized for $1,250,000, instead of $800,000, the capital stock at present.

Toronto people form the majority of the directorate of the new company. The directors will be Robert Jaffray, S. W. McMichael, A. Ansley, Henry M. Pellatt and G. B. Smith, all of Toronto, and James Monaghan and G. B. McAuley of Spokane. The new company will be known as the Cariboo Consolidated Mining & Milling Company, and it is said that the head office will be at Rossland, although accurate information on the latter point cannot be obtained.

James Monaghan, president of the old company, is at the mine superintending the installation of ten new stamps in the mill and the addition of a new Corliss engine to the company's plant. Secretary McAuley is absent in the east, where he has spent several weeks perfecting the deal for the organization of the new company.

The five additional claims acquired by the new company are the Alice, Emma, Maple Leaf, Saw Tooth and Okanagan. The company organized is a strong one. Mr. Robert Jaffray is president of the Globe Company. He is heavily interested in the Crow's Nest coal lands and in other mining properties.

The Money Is Paid.

Since the reference to the B. C. mine in another column was written it is learned that Mr. A. H. Harrison paid the final payment on account of the bond yesterday. The payment was for $27,000 making $60,000 paid altogether for the property. Mr. Harrison gave a cheque on the Bank of British Columbia for this amount. This and another $27,000 cheque given by Mr. Harrison are the two largest cash payments made on account of Boundary Creek properties. The payment was made in the office of Mr. I. H. Hallett. The deal throughout appears to have been satisfactory to both parties, since there was not the slightest friction since the bond was first given.

The latest political news from Victoria is to the effect that Dr. McKechnie of Nanamio has been appointed to the cabinet without a portfolio. Mr. Cotton is acting Minister of Mines as well as Finance.

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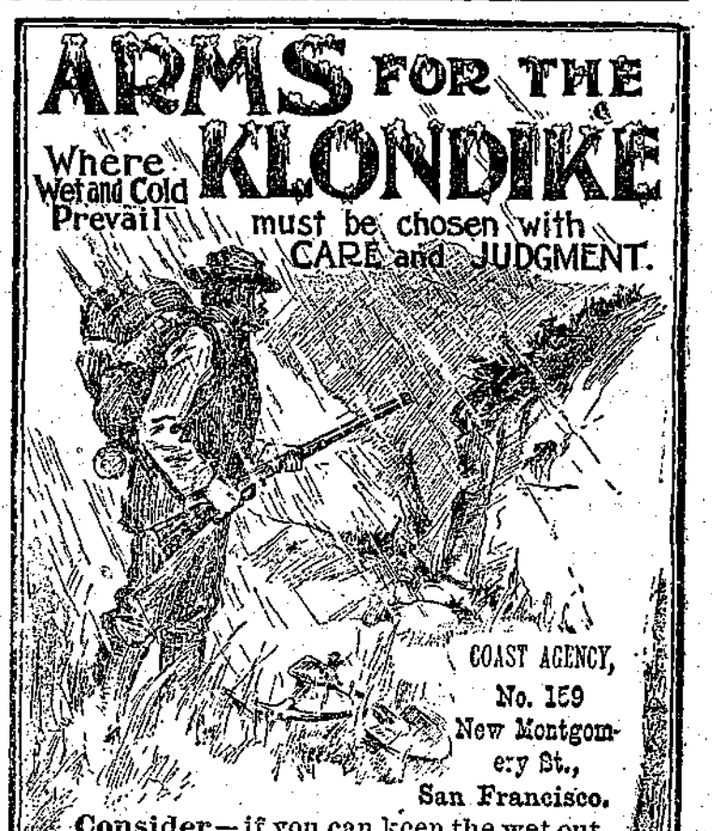

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WANT CANADIAN MONEY.

Against the recent action of the clearing house in establishing a 2 per cent. discount on Canadian currency, the Spokane merchants are making a vigorous protest. It is probable that at the next meeting of the clearing house the action will be rescinded and Canadian money will be received as formerly.

The general opinion of the bankers and merchants is that the clearing house made a mistake in establishing the 2 per cent. discount. It was explained at the clearing house meeting at which the action was taken that expressage, stamps, exchange and all calculated in it cost about $1.60 to $2.00 per thousand dollars for Spokane banks to handle Canadian money. Therefore it was moved and adopted that a discount of 2 per cent. be made on receipts of Canadian money, instead of 1 per cent. The difference is material in transactions of the magnitude of those which go through Spokane.

The 2 per cent. discount stands, and is a great hindrance to trade. Merchants say it is keeping British Columbia money at home and preventing it coming here for an outlet. The merchants are holding Canadian money themselves for their customers, shipping it to Rossland, and with it buying New York exchange, thus suffering slight loss. The banks, however, desire to prevent all loss to their customers, and will probably see that the proper law is enacted at the next session of parliament.

As the bankers explain it, they are not entirely to blame for the raise. There is on the statute books of the country an act passed February 8, 1875 which provides that all persons passing currency other than United States national bank currency should pay a fine of 10 per cent. on such currency passed over a bank counter. This is a practically prohibitive tax, although never enforced.—Spokesman-Review.

DRILLING CONTEST.

Articles for a drilling contest have been signed by A. D. McLeod and Dennis McClune. The contest will take place next Friday evening, August 26, in the LePlant block on Copper street. Each of the contestants strike for 15 minutes, Bert Cousins turning the drills for McLeod and Al Mason for Clune. The match is for $250 a side.

Both McLeod and Clune have made records in contests of this kind. McLeod is the champion of British Columbia. He won all contests in the Kootenay district and at Dominion Hall, Rossland, drilled against Mike Burns, world's champion. Clune, who has been a resident of Boundary Creek for the past two years, with his partner Sullivan won all the contests which took place in the district.

The hall is being fitted up for the match. Seats are being placed in position so that all will have a good view of the match. Seats are also reserved for ladies. A small admission fee will be charged to defray expenses.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of of Canada at the next session thereof for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and maintain a railway from a point on the International Boundary Line at or near Cascade City, British Columbia, thence in a westerly direction, following the valley of the Kettle river to a point on the said Bonndary Line at or near Carson; also from another point on the said Boundary Line at or near Midway, thence, northerly, following the valley of Boundary creek to a point about twenty miles north of Midway; with power to construct and maintain branch lines, and at the said Boundary Line to connect with and to operate the whole in conjunction with the railway line of the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway Company, with power to the company to construct, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines as well for commercial purposes as the business of the railway; and for other necessary and usual powers.

Dated the 23rd day of July, 1898,

BODWELL & DUFF,
Solicitors for Applicants.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, sixty days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district. B. C.: Commencing at a stake twenty chains north of the north-west corner of section twenty-five, township fifty-three, thence 40 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains north to place of commencement, containing 320 acres.

CHAS. Æ. SHAW.

Dated 24th day of June, 1898. 96-8

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Buckhorn, Iron Top, Blue Bell and Arlington mineral claims, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: Deadwood camp.

TAKE Notice that I, E. A. Bielenberg, free miner's certificate, No. 25,867, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1898. 101-9

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date, we intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut timber on the following described piece of land, situate on Cranberry creek, a tributary ef the West Fork of Kettle river, in the District of Yale, B. C.: Commencing at a stake on the west side of Cranberry creek, 60 chains from the mouth of said creek; thence west 120 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 120 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 120 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 120 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement. containing 960 acres.

Dated 22nd June, 1898. RALPH SMAILES.
95-8 W. B. PATON.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

PHŒNIX Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Greenwood camp.

TAKE notice that we, C. E. Gault, free miner's certificate No. 351 A; Robert Denzler, free miner's certificate No. 14025 A; Thos. Tighe, free miner's certificate No. 14024 A; Franklin Farrell, free miner's certificate No. 50 A, and W. T. Smith, free miner's certificate, No. 14046 A; intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1898. 92-9

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

C. O. D. Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Deadwood camp, north of the Sunset Mineral claim.

TAKE Notice that I, Robert Donagin, free miners's certificate No. 14074A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 18th day of June, 1898. 95-8

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE

CIMERON Mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Greenwood camp.

TAKE notice that I, Georgr W. Rumberger, free miner's certificate, No. 83A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 9th day of June. 1898. 93-9

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

GEM (fractional) mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Deadwood camp.

TAKE notice that we, John Dunn, free miner's certificate No. 25866; E. A. Bielenberg, free miner's certificate No. 29,867, and Mary Garland, free miner's certificate No. 14117 A; intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvement.

Dated this 3rd day of June. 1898. 92-9

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

WINNER Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Wellington camp.

TAKE Notice that we, James McLenaghen, free miner's certificate No. 372a, Nellie (Mrs. J. R.) Gallagher, free miner's certificate No. 255a, and Mary Garland, free miner's certificate No. 14117a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1898. 101-9

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Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending August 16th, 1898.

Transfers.

August 9.

King Harold, Deadwood camp, J. H. McDonald and C. P. Friend.

August 10

Stemwinder and Lucky Pete, Canyon creek, P. Lover.

Last Chance, "B.C." and "730." Canyon creek, E. Fletcher.

Gold Drop and Argo, Canyon creek, W. S. Fletcher.

Olympia, Myers creek, John Luce.

August 12

Bobbie Burns, frac., Deer creek, W. G. McMynn

August 13

Florence, Nicholson creek, G. Atchison and J. Spratt.

August 15

Lancashire Lass, frac., Smith's camp, J. Gillan

Cairngorm, frac., Long Lake camp, M. J. M. Wood.

Dixie, Long Lake camp, T. F. Kane.

Halifax, Long Lake camp, Al. Mason.

Comanche Chief, Sultan camp, J. Douglas and J. Atwood.

Sultan, Sultan camp, J. Douglas and J. Atwood

President and Czarina, Sultan camp, I. G. Thompson.

Certificates of Work.

August 9

Standard—T. Walsh.

Silver Duck—F. Keffer et al.

August 15

Center—I. G. Thompson.

August 16

Ruby—Wm. G. McMynn.

Treadwell—P. J. O'Laughlin et al.

Hamilton—Mary Garland et al.

Blue Bell—P. J. O'Laughlin et al.

Transfers.

August 9

Buckhorn, Blue Bell, Iron Top, ½ int. each, John Dunn to G. R. Naden.

Arlington, C. Æ. Shaw to E. A. Bielenberg.

Buckhorn, Blue Bell, Iron Top, ½ int. each, G. R. Naden to E. A. Bielenberg.

August 11

Coronation, ½ int., A. J. Flett to J. Thurber.

Mayflower, Lillie May, W.S.F., Argo, Leslie, Gold Drop, all int., W. S. Fletcher to E. Fletcher.

Augusta, Everett, Rainy, Mayflower, Lillie May, ½ int. each, O. Mellon to W. S. Fletcher

Everett, Mayflower, Lillie May, ½ int. each, J. Peterson to W. S. Fletcher.

August 13

American Eagle, J. Powell et al. to J. B. Desrosier.

Marshall, ¼ int., D. Bresnahan to J. McNulty.

Little Brown, Little Annie, ¼ int., J. McNulty to D. Bresnahan.

Muldoon and all interests in B.C., W. W. Gibbs to Wm. G. McMynn.

Montana, Colorado, Fourth of July, Idaho, Red Jacket, Magnolia, Pansy, Climax, Bunker Hill, ¼ int. each; Tip Top, Trapper and Coin, ⅓ int. each; Kaffir King, 1-8 int., E. Sullivan to Wm. G. McMynn.

British Pride, Golden Eagle, ½ int. each; Deadwood, Little John, Balaclava, John Gilpin, = int. each, J. R. Reillie and H. A. Haywood to G. L. Thelin.

August 15

Plutonia, Toronto, Great Hopes, 1-10 int. each, T. F. Wren to E. Simenson

Mountain View, C. L. Thomet to Wm. G. McMynn.

August 16

Treadwell, ⅓ int., F. C. Woods to P. J. O'Laughlin.

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Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the Half-year ending June 30th, 1898.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Note discounted	$1,000 00	Balance from '97 Council	$ 747 75
Liquor Licenses	510 00	Interest and Discount	21 15
Trades Licenses	265 00	Miscellaneous Expenses	144 20
Hawkers	35 00	Street Improvements	128 56
Road Tax	164 00	Salaries	800 00
Dog Tax	50 00	Advertising and Stationery	251 40
Police Court Fines	255 00	Board of Health	10 00
Land Tax	0 75	Administration of Justice	44 25
Debenture Tax	0 75	Cash on hand	133 25
	$ 2,280 50		$ 2,280 50

Greenwood, B.C., July, 1898.

GEO. R. NADEN,
Treasurer.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Robert W. Roberts, a young Welsh miner met his death in the Old Ironsides mine on Tuesday morning last. The deceased, M. Austin and W. J. Pierce went down the 200-foot shaft shortly after eleven shots had been fired. Roberts and Austin were overcome by the foul air. Roberts died shortly after being brought to the surface while Austin regained consciousness and is rapidly recovering.

The unfortunate accident was due to the men's haste to see the effects of their shots. The shift to which they belonged drilled eleven holes in the drift at the 200-foot level. They charged the same and came to the surface. They waited only 15 minutes after the shots were fired and then went down the shaft. Pierce stopped at the pump 12 feet above the bottom of the shaft. Roberts jumped from the bucket as soon as it reached bottom and ran into the drift. He must have become unconscious at once for Pierce heard Austin shout that Roberts was dead. Austin started into the drift and Pierce slid down the cable and followed. He found both men unconscious. He succeeded in getting both men out of the drift into the shaft but the foul air was rapidly affecting him and he went to the surface. Pat Dermody the foreman at the mine then went down. He placed Austin in the bucket but the air was still bad and he was unable to lift Roberts. Austin was brought to the surface and Dermody again went down and secured Roberts. Dr. Foster was sent for. Before he reached the mine Roberts was dead. He never regained consciousness and died a few minutes after being rescued from the mine.

The air in the Old Ironsides shaft has always been good and the fatality was caused from the foul air from the powder. Roberts who was a small man was ambitious to do as much as the opposite shift and he was in the habit of going down the mine too soon after shots had been fired. His friends often cautioned him to be more careful.

The accident was a particularly sad one. Roberts was a particular friend of Hugh O. Thomas who was recently killed in the Snowshoe. He and Thomas' sister were to be married at Christmas. For several days previous to the accident he had been making arrangements to take Thomas' body home to New Rockland, Quebec, and intended to leave for the east after next pay day. Roberts was a native of Carnarvon, Wales. He came to New Rockland several years ago and came to British Columbia with a number of Welsh miners, a few months ago. The deceased was a steady, hard working miner and very popular with his fellow employes.

Austin is rapidly recovering and will be all right in a few days.

Dr. Jakes visited the mine on Tuesday afternoon and decided to hold an inquest. This was done on Wednesday morning.

The jury were as follows: J. Fitzgerald (foreman); G. Rumberger, J. Moran, J. Foulds, —— Burns, George Klinck. After hearing the evidence the jury brought in a verdict that death was caused by foul air and no blame was attached to any one.

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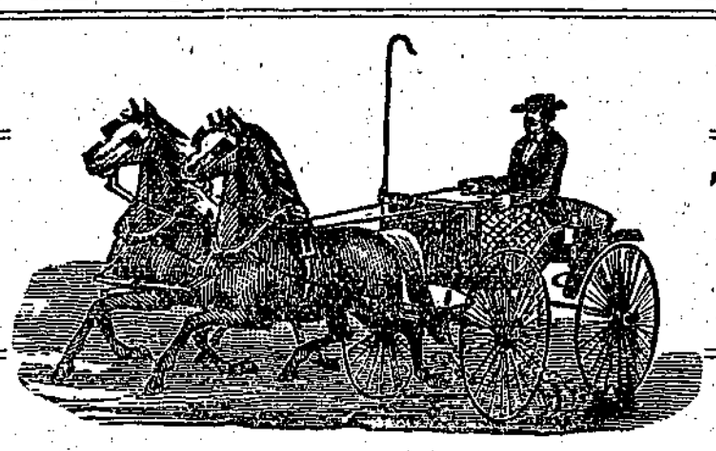
THE FINEST  TURNOUTS IN

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July 25th, 1898. 99-8

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

For almost three solid hours, on Monday evening, aldermanic eloquence percolated through the cracks in the court house and was lost upon the denizens of the valley below. The subject which engaged the serious intention of the municipal fathers was the best methods of getting the streets down to a proper level and constructing a waterworks system that would do away with the pleasant practice of getting water from Twin Creek in a modest bucket. The most of the aldermen favored doing the work by day labor with several "ifs" as a drawback while others wanted the contractor. Three hours' discussion did not bring unanimity to the council and a compromise was affected whereby day labor will be resorted to if the contractors are good enough to make their prices high enough.

His Worship, Mayor Wood presided and Ald. Galloway, Barrett and Phelan were present. Mr. C. Æ. Shaw, the city engineer was also in attendance.

W. J. Harber and A. W. McLeod asked leave to lay a water pipe along Skylark street to their residences. Permission was granted subject to removal by the council.

The city treasurer was granted $50 for petty cash and his half yearly report was received and filed.

Messrs. McDonald who have the contract for excavating for the new Barnard block offered to fill the holes on Government street in the valley for 15 cents a yard. The offer was accepted.

Mr. Shaw informed the council that he had the quanties prepared for Government and Copper streets and that the necessary data for letting contracts on the other streets would be ready in a few days. A long discussion then ensued as to the best method of doing the work. Ald. Phelan wanted small contracts and no bonds for the faithful performance of the work. He did not want the poor man in the city to be shut out from taking a contract. Ald. Galloway and Barrett held that the city could afford no experiments and that if a contract were taken the contractor should put up security that it would be carried to completion. On motion of Ald. Barrett seconded by Ald. Galloway it was decided that advertisements calling for tenders for about $13,000 worth of street grading should be placed in the BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES, the Rossland Miner, the Spokesman-Review and the Vancouver News-Advertiser. Ald. Phelan opposed this motion.

Ald. Phelan then made a motion to the effect that contractors must pay men not less than $3 a day and neither Japanese or Chinese to be employed. Ald. Phelan later reduced the wage to $2.50 a day. Ald. Galloway believed if a contract was to be let the contractors should be left free. He believed in paying the best wages but did not believe in dictating to contractors. Mayor Wood thought the more satisfactory way to do the work was to get a good foreman and pay good wages and do the work by day labor. Ald. Barrett seconded Ald. Phelan's resolution and the motion carried. The council then adjourned.

GRAND FORKS IGNORANCE.

In the last issue of the Grand Forks Miner appears an article under the caption "Back to Barbarism." It is a characteristic Miner article. It is based upon ignorance of Canadian law and a disregard for facts. The officers at Greenwood would have been pleased to grant permission to bury the remains of John Dolquist at Greenwood if the law allowed them to do so. John Dolquist's friends brought the body to Greenwood and reported his death to the police officer and to the coroner. They asked the advice of these officers. The officers advised according to law. The coroner's jurisdiction is limited by law and no body can be interred on the Canadian side without a certificate of death from a medical man. Dolquist's friends were so informed and the body was taken to the American side. We believe the precautions stipulated by the Canadian law are proper precautions, In the Dolquist case the stringency of law worked a hardship but the officers of the law were not to blame. They made no effort to administer the law; their advice was sought and it was given free of charge.

The incident shows the difference between Greenwood and Grand Forks. In Greenwood the residents have the highest regard for Canadian laws and desire to see the same properly administered. In Grand Forks the people show a full and complete ignorance of the laws of the country and a disregard for their administration. The Grand Forks Miner is about the worst sinner in the lot.

B. C. M. & M. Co.

During Hector McRae's visit here, a meeting of the directors of the Boundary Creek Mining & Milling Co. was held in A. S. Black's office. Mr. McRae was appointed a director vice A. C. McKenzie. The syndicate which Mr. McRae represents has made the second payment on account of the shares recently acquired by them. Ten men will at once be put to work on the company's properties. A 100-foot shaft is to be sunk on the G. A. R. claim and other work carried out.

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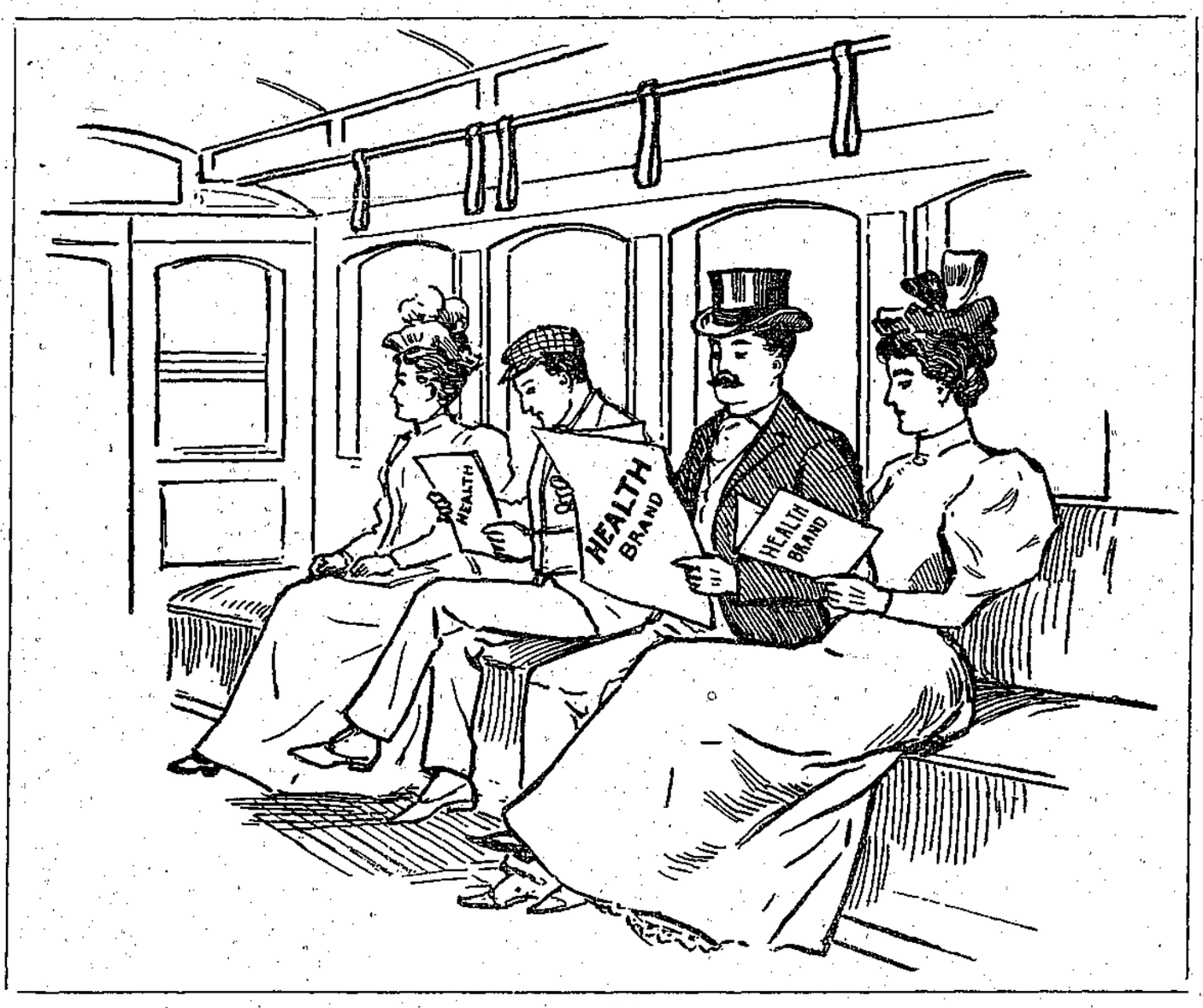

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